

## WOODCRAFT FOLK SYMPOSIUM: SPAN THE WORLD WITH FRIENDSHIP

SATURDAY June 25<sup>th</sup> 2022: Room 728, Institute of Education, UCL, 20 Bedford Way, London WC1

As part of the Woodcraft Folk's preparations for its centenary in 2025, a symposium of academically based papers will be discussed focusing on the organisations' international work, particularly in the period post 1945.

Span the World with Friendship has been a constant motto of the Woodcraft Folk and this has been demonstrated through its international work, youth exchanges, camps and broader educational work.

The symposium on June 25<sup>th</sup> will as well as having four main papers, provide an opportunity to hear about and look at the Woodcraft Folk's archives which are housed at the Institute of Education. It is also planned that a feature of the day will include some short films of past international camps.

The programme for the day will be:

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| 11.00-11.15       | Welcome and Introductions   |
| 11.15-12.00       | Rich Palser: <b>The Woodcraft Folk and the International Falcon Movement, circa 1945-1970: Educational principles and the educational practice of international camps</b><br>(including discussion on the paper)  |
| 12.00- 12.45      | Susanne Rappe-Weber : <b>Internationality and friendship between nations in songbooks of the youth movement after 1945. A comparison of the "Woodcraft Folk Song Book" with examples from Germany, France and other countries.</b><br>(including discussion on the paper) |
| 12.45- 2.00       | Lunch and Presentation on Archives  |
| 2.00- 2.45        | Douglas Bourn: <b>From International Friendship to International Solidarity</b><br>(including discussion on the paper)  |
| <b>2.45- 3.30</b> | <b>Margaret Fleming with young people: Young People and the Climate Emergency</b><br>(including discussion on the paper)  |
| 3.30- 3.45        | Tea Break   |
| 3.45- 4.15        | <b>Presentation on Woodcraft Folk's 2022 International Camp: Common Ground</b>  |

4.15.-4.30

Closing Remarks

To book for the event go to:

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